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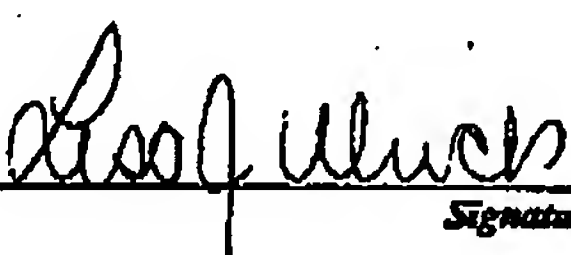
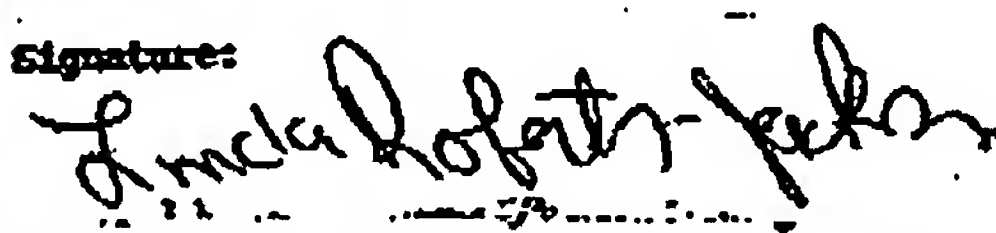
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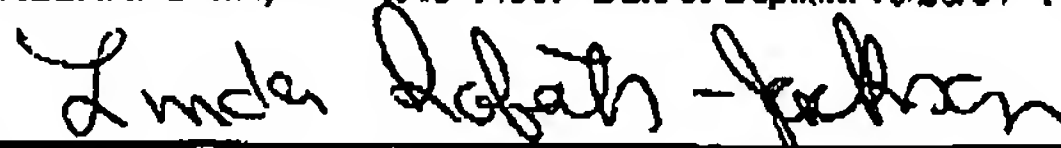
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Date: 10/26/04**In re Application** Khater, et al.**Filed:** 08/29/2003**of:****For:** BIPOLAR TRANSISTOR HAVING RAISED
EXTRINSIC BASE WITH SELECTABLE SELF-
ALIGNMENT AND METHODS OF FORMING
SAME**Serial Number:** 10/604,988**Confirmation No.** 1987**Art Unit:** 2818**Examiner:** Phuc T. Dang**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed September 29, 2004, Applicants hereby elect group II, which comprises claims 8-26.

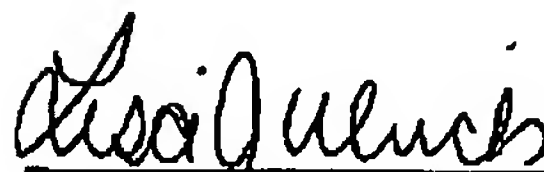
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Respectfully Submitted,

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